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INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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E. O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: NEW ZEALAND MISSION TO PEKING

REF: WELLINGTON 535

1. NEW ZEALAND FIRST SECRETARY RICHARDS TOLD CONGEN OFFICER TODAY THAT THE HIGH- LEVEL NEW ZEALAND MISSION TO THE PRC, HEADED BY FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER AND ASSOCIATE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS WALDING WOULD VISIT CHINA BETWEEN MARCH 27 AND APRIL 3 (REFTEL). BESIDES WALDING, THE DELEGATION WOULD INCLUDE EASTERBROOK- SMITH, THE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY; HOLLAND, THE HEAD OF THE ASIA DIVISION OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY; O' BRIEN, AN ECONOMIC SPECIALIST WHO PROVIOUSLY SERVED IN BRUSSELS; MURRAY, TRADE COMMISSIONER IN HONG KONG; A FEW OTHER OFFICIALS AND FIVE PRESS REPRESENTATIVES.

2. BUCKINGHAM, THE DEPUTY HEAD OF THE ASIA DIVISION, WAS DUE
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TO JOIN THE DELEGATION AND TO STAY ON IN PEKING TO DISCUSS
THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW ZEALAND EMBASSY. RICHARDS SAID
THAT BUCKINHAM WAS PROBABLY IN LINE TO BE HEAD OF THE
CHANCERY AND CHARGE' , BUT THAT HE HAD NOT YET BEEN OFFICIALLY
NAMED. HE HAS NOW BEEN REPLACED ON THE DELEGATION BY O' BRIEN,
BUT RICHARDS HAD NO INDICATION OF THE REASONS FOR THE CHANGE.
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